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Enterprise Geographic Information Systems (eGIS)

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Purpose	<p>The eGIS Program, established in 2008, improves the effectiveness and value of the County's investments in GIS through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Enhanced GIS data access and sharing,• Improved collaboration and coordination,• Reduced duplication and costs,• Development of best practices. <p>The GIS Program is recommending a <u>policy directive</u> to consolidate all web-based GIS mapping applications in the eGIS Program Infrastructure to eliminate redundant hardware and software costs, supporting shared software tools and methodologies, and <u>increase rapid-development deployment-speed. where possible.</u></p>
Scope	<p><u>PolicyDirective</u></p> <p><i>All GIS Internet mapping applications leveraging ESRI ArcGIS Server Technology will be hosted in the eGIS Program Infrastructure <u>where possible.</u> Departments using commercial mapping providers shall leverage the eGIS Program's enterprise licenses.</i></p> <p>Departments have historically managed their own GIS server mapping</p>

Comment [u1]: As opposed to adding where possible, the exception process handles this.

	<p>infrastructure, requiring substantial investments in hardware and software. ISD has upgraded the eGIS infrastructure to enable all County departments to host their GIS applications in a centralized hosting environment.</p> <p>ISD will maintain all necessary software to support these applications. Departments will work with ISD in establishing service level agreements (SLAs) and any associated additional costs.</p> <p>Exceptions can be requested for internal facing applications that leverage local data resources that would be impacted by network distance between the application and database.</p>
Definitions	<p>OCIO – Los Angeles County Office of the Chief Information Officer</p> <p>CCLC – Chief Information Office Council Leadership Committee</p>
Review Outcomes	<p>Completed by the OCIO following review by the OCIO and CCLC.</p>
Approved	<p>_____ Richard Sanchez, Chief Information Officer County of Los Angeles</p>

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